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TO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR

SUBJ: THAI ASSISTANCE TO LAOS

REF; VIENTIANE 8142

1. NEWSPAPER STORY ON CABINET DECISION ON THAI ASSISTANCE TO LAOS IS NOT COMPLETELY CORRECT. APPROVAL WAS GIVEN FOR GRANT OF 5 MILLION BAHT TO STABILIZE THE KIP. OTHER ISSUES --- SALE OF SUGAR AT A CONCESSIONARY PRICE AND GIVING LAOS A VOICE IN CHOOSING TRANSPORTATION FROM THE PORT TO LAOS --- WERE RAISED BY LAOS BUT NO CABINET APPROVAL WAS GIVEN. THESE ISSUES ARE SUBJECT TO DISCUSSION WHEN THE RTG GROUP GOES TO VIENTIANE THIS WEDNESDAY.

2. FOREIGN MINISTER'S PARTY INCLUDES, AMONG OTHERS, THREE HIGHLY CAPABLE OFFICIALS WHOSE FIELD IS ECONOMIC --- DR. SANO UNAKUN, SECRETARY GENERAL OF NESDB; ASA SARASIN, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE ECONOMIC DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; AND BURAPA ATTHAKORN, OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS.

3. WE WILL SEND SHORT BIO SKETCHES OF MEMBERS OF CHARUNPHAN'S PARTY BY SEPTTEL.

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